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Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed February 4, 2003, which response is being made on or before August 4, 2003, and for which \$465 extension fees are due.

This response is being filed according to the proposed amended format for filing a response as recommended by the PTO, and therefore benefits from the waiver of 37 CFR 1.121 (a), (b), (c) and (d).

